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9. Nai Ari Santanaphanta, Secretary of the Mission.
10. Miss Koblab Sombatisiri, Interpreter.

The aforementioned individuals will constitute a Trade Mission which the Siamese Government desires to send to Japan for the stated purpose of "inspecting Japanese market conditions and for the purchase of goods on a sterling and other currency payment basis." It is stated in the note that the Mission would like to leave before the end of the current month and it expects to stay in Japan for about one month.

You are requested to submit this application to the Supreme Commander for the Allied Powers at Tokyo for consideration and to inform this Division of any decision reached concerning it.

Should the request of the Siamese Government be granted it will not be necessary for you to send to this Division a military permit in their individual names. A memorandum from your office stating that Theater clearance has been granted will be sufficient.

Sincerely yours,

W.F.C.
Walter F. Chappell
Assistant Chief
Division of Protective Services

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The Secretary of State presents his compliments to the Honorable the Minister of the Union of South Africa and has the honor to refer to the Legation's note of July 7, 1948 under cover of which there was transmitted to the Department the application of Mr. Paul Ernst Ehrlich for permission to enter Japan.

Mr. Ehrlich's application was referred to the appropriate military authorities, and in reply the Department has received a communication stating that Mr. Ehrlich has been granted permission to enter Japan between August 10 and September 10, 1948 for a stay of sixty days after his entry.

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The Department assumes that the Ministry of Foreign Affairs will be requested to place in the passport of Mr. Ehrlich a statement to the effect that he has been cleared by the Supreme Commander for the Allied Powers for entry into Japan. In this connection there are enclosed

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two copies of a pamphlet published by the Supreme Commander's Headquarters entitled Guide For Commercial Entrants to Japan. It will be noted that there appears in the appendix to this publication the text of the Supreme Commander's Circular 3 of February 25, 1943. The statement which should be placed in Mr. Ehrlich's passport is required by paragraph III.4.e. (1) of this circular.

Enclosure: ✓

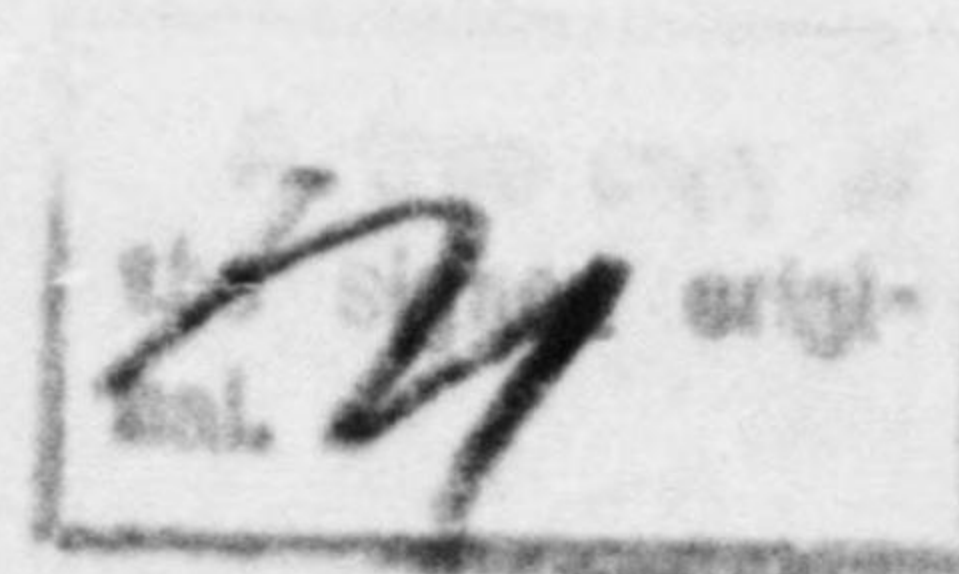
Two copies of Guide For Commercial Entrants to Japan. ✓

Department of State,

Washington, August 2, 1948.

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WALTER F CHAPPEL, SECTY OF STATE
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ASKING KINDLY YOUR INTERVENTION ALSO FOR REENTRY PERMIT REFER
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My dear Mr. Moiseeff:

There is enclosed Army Department military permit number 334, re-issued in your name, valid for one return journey to Japan between July 8 and August 8, 1948.

The Department had been in communication with the Immigration and Naturalization Service in connection with your re-entry permit, but it was not until after the Department had telegraphed a reply to your telegram of July 8, 1948 regarding your military and re-entry permits, that it was learned that your re-entry permit would be air mailed to you July 8. It is regretted that you were unable to utilize the previous military permit issued in your name.

The Department notes that you plan to depart for Japan on the President Cleveland July 17, 1948. Arrangements have been made to waive the exit permit requirements in your case, and the Immigration and Naturalization Service has been requested to notify its officers at San Francisco that you have permission to depart from the United States at that time without an exit permit document.

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Sincerely yours,

For the Secretary of State:

W.F.C.

Walter F. Chappell
Assistant Chief
Division of Protective Services

Enclosure:
Military Permit. ✓

Mr. Moise Moiseeff,
Care of A. Penve Company,
Pacific Building,
821 Market Street,
San Francisco, California.

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Telephonic Waiver of Documentary Requirements

Date: 7/9/48

Alien(s) concerned: **Moise MOISEFF**

Nationality and birthplace: **Belgian**

Date and port of departure: **July 17, 1948 from S. Francisco,
SS PRESIDENT CLEVELAND**

Person making request: **Mr. Corkran, DS**

Person notified of waiver: *Miss Desmond, INS*

Documents waived: **Exit Permit**

Remarks: **Going Japan under Traders Quota.**

Thomas Spence

Officer's signature

Copy: Mr. Corkran ✓
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JUL 8 1948

Telegram to Mr. Moiseeff

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July 8, 1948.

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Letter to Mr. Moiseeff
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Mrs. Mellor of DS has called Mr. Horner's office (Miss Desmond) in Immigration and Naturalization Service several times ~~YHR~~ yesterday and today in an effort to find out what action is contemplated on Mr. Moise Moiseeff's application for a re-entry permit. Miss Desmond could only report today that every effort was being made to find the file and that she would call DS as soon as she discovered it.

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July 16-th 1948

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Mr. Chapell
division of protective services
State department
Washington 25, D.C.

DIVISION OF
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JUL 21 1948

DEPARTMENT OF STATE

Dear Mr. Chapell,

This is to acknowledge receipt of my renewed permit
#334 and to thank you for the kind intervention.

All my papers are on hand now and I am leaving as
it was intended, tomorrow on the S/S "President Cleveland".

Thanking you again

Veru truly yours

M. Moiseeff
Moise Moiseeff

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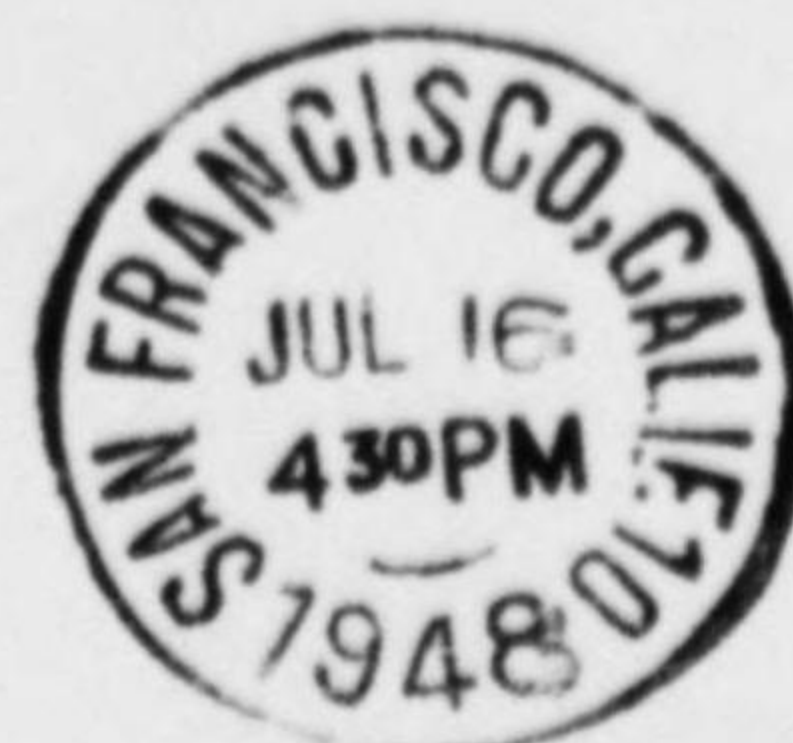
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Moise Moiseeff
c/o

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SAN FRANCISCO 3, CALIF.



Department of State

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attention Mr. Walter F. Chappell

Washington 25, D.C.

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THE ROYAL SIAMESE EMBASSY
WASHINGTON 8, D. C.

7/9/48
DIVISION OF PROTECTIVE SECURITY
Letter to Col. Scott
JUL - 8 1948

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The Siamese Ambassador presents his compliments

to His Excellency the Secretary of State and has the honour
to state that the Siamese Government desires to send a
Trade Mission to inspect Japanese market condition and to
negotiate for the purchase of goods on sterling and other
currency payment basis. The Commission will be composed
of the following:

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- 1. Luang Vidura Vidhikol, Chief Mechanical Engineer, Railways Department, Ministry of Communications.
- 2. Luang Videt Yontrakich, Chief Civil Engineer, Railways Department, Ministry of Communications.
- 3. Nai Thavin Vongthongmakh, Co-operatives Department, Ministry of Agriculture.
- 4. Nai Suphot Inganindanda, Foreign Trade Department, Ministry of Commerce.
- 5. Nai Chulindra Lamsam, Vice Chairman, Bangkok Chamber of Commerce.
- 6. Nai Lek Komet, Member Committee, Bangkok Chamber of Commerce.
- 7. Nai Charoon Sribunruang, Member Committee, Bangkok Chamber of Commerce.
- 8. Nai Osot Kosin, Member, Bangkok Chamber of Commerce.
- 9. Nai Ari Santanaphanta, Secretary of the Mission.
- 10. Miss Koblab Sombatisiri, Interpreter.

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The Mission would like to leave before the end of the month and expects to stay in Japan for about 1 month.

Under instructions from the Siamese Government, the Ambassador has the honour, therefore, to request the Secretary of State to be so kind as to use his good offices with a view to obtaining the necessary permission from the Supreme Commander for the Allied Powers for the Mission to enter Japan for the purpose above-mentioned.





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DIVISION OF PROTECTIVE SERVICES 7th July, 1948

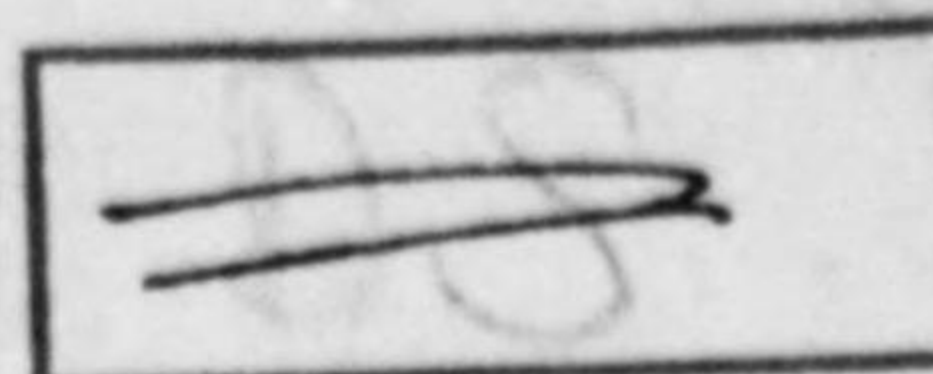
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The Minister of the Union of South Africa

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presents his compliments to the Honourable the Secretary of State and has the honour to transmit an application for admission to Japan submitted by Mr. Paul Ernst Ehrlich, a National of the Union of South Africa by naturalization.

Mr. Ehrlich's application is sponsored by the Department of Commerce and Industries of the Union of South Africa.

At the convenience of the Department the Minister would be glad to be informed of the result of the application.

The Honourable the Secretary of State, Department of State, Washington, D.C.

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My dear Colonel Scott:

There is transmitted herewith an application for permission to enter Japan for Mr. Paul Ernst Ehrlich, submitted to the Department of State under cover of a note dated July 7, 1948 from the Legation of the Union of South Africa.

The proposed travel of this applicant is sponsored by the Department of Commerce and Industries of the Union of South Africa, and the person concerned is stated to be a national of the Union of South Africa by naturalization.

You are requested to submit this application to the Supreme Commander for the Allied Powers at Tokyo for consideration, and to inform this Division of any decision reached concerning it.

Should the request of Mr. Ehrlich be granted it will not be necessary for you to send to this Division a military permit in his name. A memorandum from your office stating that Theater clearance has been granted will be sufficient.

Sincerely yours,

W. F. C.

Walter F. Chappell
Assistant Chief
Division of Protective Services

Enclosure:

Application as stated.

Lieutenant Colonel J.D. Scott, G.S.C.,
Military Permit Section,
Civil Affairs Division,
Department of the Army,
Room 2B914, The Pentagon,
Washington 25, D.C.

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Mr. Moise Moiseeff,

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Care of A. Ponve Company,

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Pacific Building,

San Francisco, California.

Dept has received your military permit valid ~~for~~ entry
 Japan between July 8 and August 8 ~~for~~ stay ~~of~~ 60 days.
 Permit being airmailed ~~to you~~ at once. Immigration and
 Naturalization Service, Washington, has been urged expedite
 issuance ~~of~~ re-entry permit. Arrangements will be made
~~to~~ waive exit permit requirements for your departure July 17
 aboard President Cleveland.

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Walter F. Chappell

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Division of Protective Services
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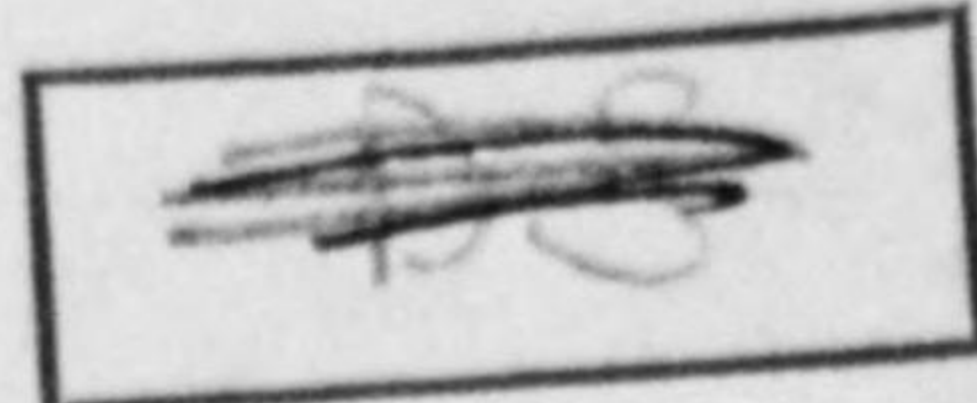
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Note to Siamese Amb.

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Letter to Col. Scott
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The Siamese Ambassador presents his compliments

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to His Excellency the Secretary of State and with reference to the Ambassador's Note No. 1125/2491 dated July 6, 1948, requesting permission for a Siamese Trade Mission to enter Japan, has the honour to state that according to further instructions just received, an invitation has just been received from the United States Embassy in Bangkok, extending on behalf of SCAP, an invitation to the Siamese Government to send an official Trade Mission to Japan. In view of this official invitation, the Siamese Government desire to reconsider the despatch of the previous unofficial Trade Mission for which permission to enter Japan has been requested. The Ambassador has the honour, therefore, to withdraw hereby his request for permission, which he had previously made, for the said unofficial Trade Mission to enter Japan.

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The Secretary of State presents his compliments to His Excellency the Ambassador of Siam and has the honor to acknowledge the receipt of the Embassy's note No. 1249/2491 of July 8, 1948 in which reference is made to the Embassy's note of July 6, 1948 communicating a request of the Siamese Government that a Siamese Trade Mission be permitted to enter Japan. It is stated in the Embassy's note under reference that an invitation has been extended to the Siamese Government by the Supreme Commander for the Allied Powers at Tokyo, through the United States Embassy at Bangkok, to send an official Trade Mission to Japan. Consequently, the Embassy wishes to withdraw the request communicated in its note of July 6, 1948.

In this connection the Embassy is informed that the Department has communicated with the Military Permit Section, Civil Affairs Division, Department of the Army, asking for the cancellation of the Embassy's request.

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My dear Colonel Scott:

Reference is made to a letter of July 9, 1948 from the Department of State communicating a request from the Siamese Government that ten Siamese nationals be permitted to enter Japan as a Trade Mission.

In this connection the Department is in receipt of a subsequent note dated July 8, 1948 from the Siamese Embassy stating that it is instructed by its Government to withdraw the above-mentioned request since an invitation has been extended to the Siamese Government by the Supreme Commander for the Allied Powers at Tokyo to send an official Trade Mission to Japan.

This letter will confirm a telephone conversation between an officer of this Division and an officer of your staff concerning this matter.

Sincerely yours,

W. J. C.

Walter F. Chappell
Assistant Chief
Division of Protective Services

Lieutenant Colonel J.D. Scott, G.S.C.,
Military Permit Section,
Civil Affairs Division,
Department of the Army,
Room 2B914, The Pentagon,
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SUBJECT:

Irwin

PARTICIPANTS: Mr. Spiro, who stated he is the owner of the Globex Trading Company, 1 West 34th Street, New York 1, New York.

DS - Mrs. Mellor

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Mr. Spiro called from New York and asked for Mr. Corkran. In his absence Mrs. Mellor took the call. Mr. Spiro wanted to know if their representative, Mr. Jakob Szpiro's military permit had been received. Mrs. Mellor informed him that it had not been received but that it would receive immediate attention when the Military Permit Office of the Army informed DS that Mr. Szpiro had been cleared for entry into Japan.

Mr. Spiro stated that the Globex Trading Company will be glad to pay for the cost of the cable to Shanghai, where his representative is at present, informing him of his clearance.

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DATE: July 9, 1948.

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DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE
Office of International Trade
Washington, D. C.

Michael Lee
(ME)

APPLICATION FOR PERMISSION TO VISIT JAPAN OR KOREA
(Circle name of country to be visited)

Belk
Japan, Japan

(The information requested in this form is for the confidential and sole use of the Departments of Commerce and State, and SCAP.)

1. Firm **GLOBEX TRADING CO.**
2. Address ~~I West 34th Street~~ * *92 Liberty St. NY 6 (Rm #5158)*
3. Telephone **PE 6-5826**
NEW YORK 1, N.Y.

4. Name of representative (and alternate, if any) **Mr. JAKOB SZPIRO**
(a) Address **320 Szechuen Road, Room 102. SHANGHAI, China**
(b) Position in the firm **acting as representative**
(c) Nationality **Polish**

5. Purpose of proposed visit (Explain in detail, attaching separate sheet if needed)
To investigate and transact import-export business between U.S.A. and Japan.

** above chg of address given to Sec of DS by Mr. Jacob Szpiro 7/28/48 in a tel. conv. with him at NY Sec*

6. If the purpose of the proposed trip is property restitution
(a) Type of property owned
(b) Approximate pre-war value
(c) Location
(d) Sole owner or joint owner with Japanese or other aliens

7. Nature of business organization (Check)
(Corporation () Partnership () Individual Other ()

8. Incorporated or established under the laws of the State of

9. Date incorporated or established **1945.**

10. Paid in capital \$

11. Type of business (Check)

(a) Manufacturer () (e) Importer
(b) Wholesaler or Jobber () (f) Exporter
(c) Retailer () (g) Mfgr's Export Agent ()
(d) Broker () (h) Import Agent ()
(i) Other (Specify)

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12. Goods bought or sold in Japan (or Korea). (pre-war)

- (a) Bought
 (b) Sold
 (c) Approximate annual volume of business with Japan (or Korea)

13. List names and location of pre-war subsidiaries, branches or resident agents in Japan (or Korea)

14. Bank or banks in which accounts have been established and/or transactions effected and from whom references can be requested

Manufacturers Trust Company
350 Fifth Avenue, New York, N.Y.

15. How will your representative travel? Plane Ship ()

16. Approximate date of proposed arrival in Japan (or Korea)

As soon as permission is granted.

17. To what U. S. consular office should authorization for entry into Japan (or Korea) be cabled by the State Department (at firm's expense), if your representative is outside the United States?

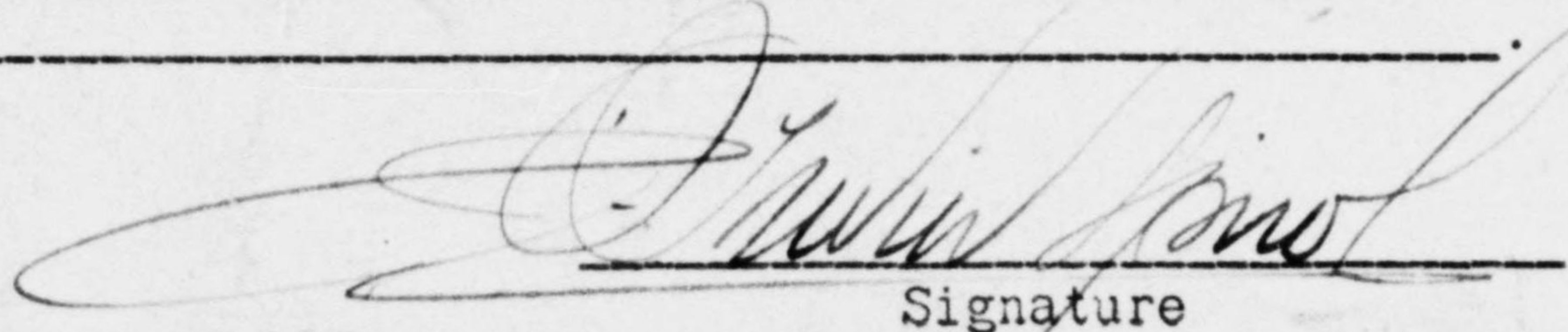
SHANGHAI, China

18. What cities in Japan (or Korea) does he plan to visit?

Tokyo, Yokohama, Kobe, Osaka

19. Estimated length of visit **60 (sixty) days.**

I, **Irwin Spiro**, hereby make oath that the information given above is true to the best of my knowledge and belief, and for and in behalf of said _____

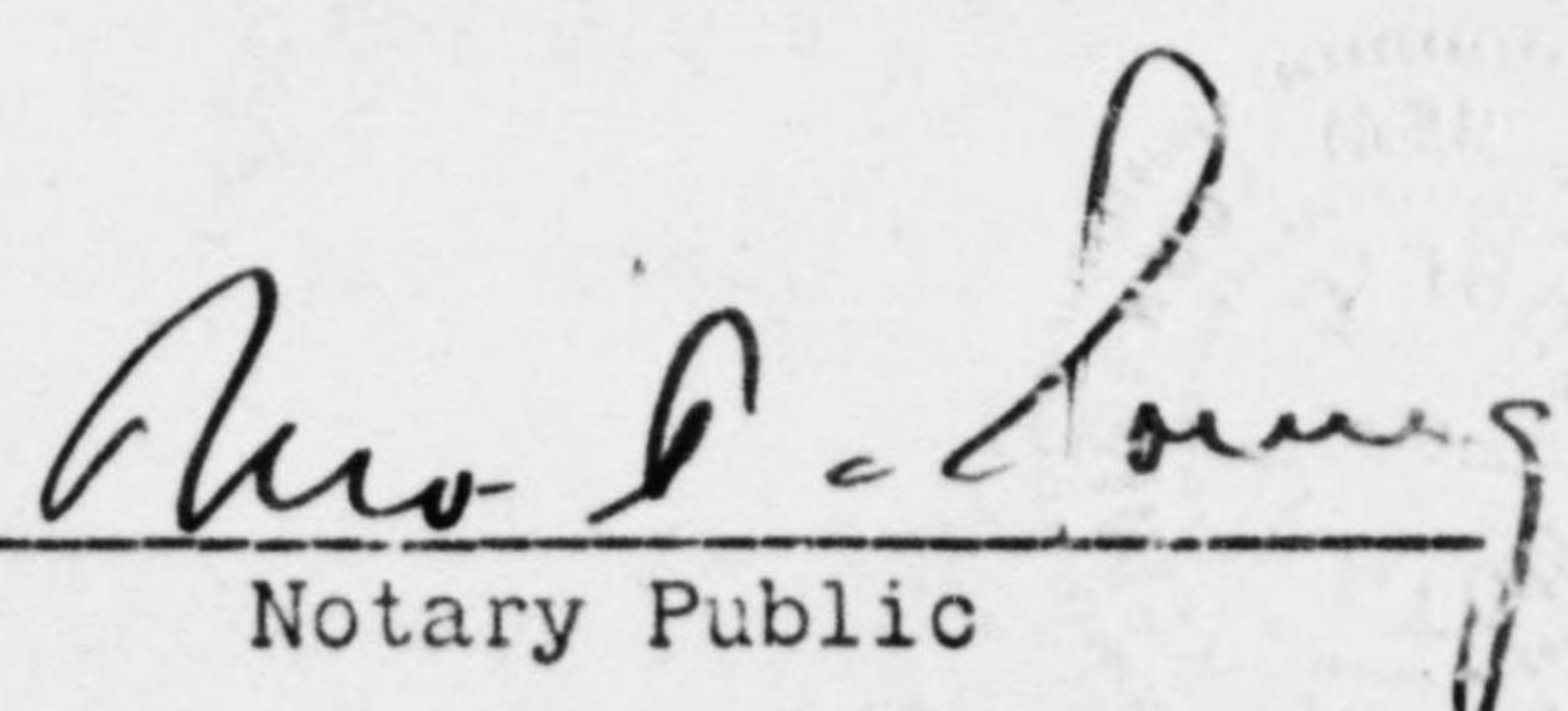


 Signature

 Title **Owner**

Subscribed to and sworn to before me

this 7 day of **June**, 1948.



 Notary Public

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Dear Miss Greene:

The receipt is acknowledged of your letter of July 9, 1948 in which you request that permission be granted Mr. Edward C. Carter to enter Japan the forepart of August.

There is enclosed for your information a copy of the Department's reply to Mr. W. L. Holland's letter of July 10, 1948 regarding Mr. Carter's clearance for entry into Japan.

Sincerely yours,

H. Merrell Benninghoff
Deputy Director for
Far Eastern Affairs

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Enclosure:

Copy of letter to
Mr. W. L. Holland.

Miss Katrine R. C. Greene,
Acting Secretary,
American Institute of Pacific
Relations, Inc.,
1 East Fifty-fourth Street,
New York 22, New York.

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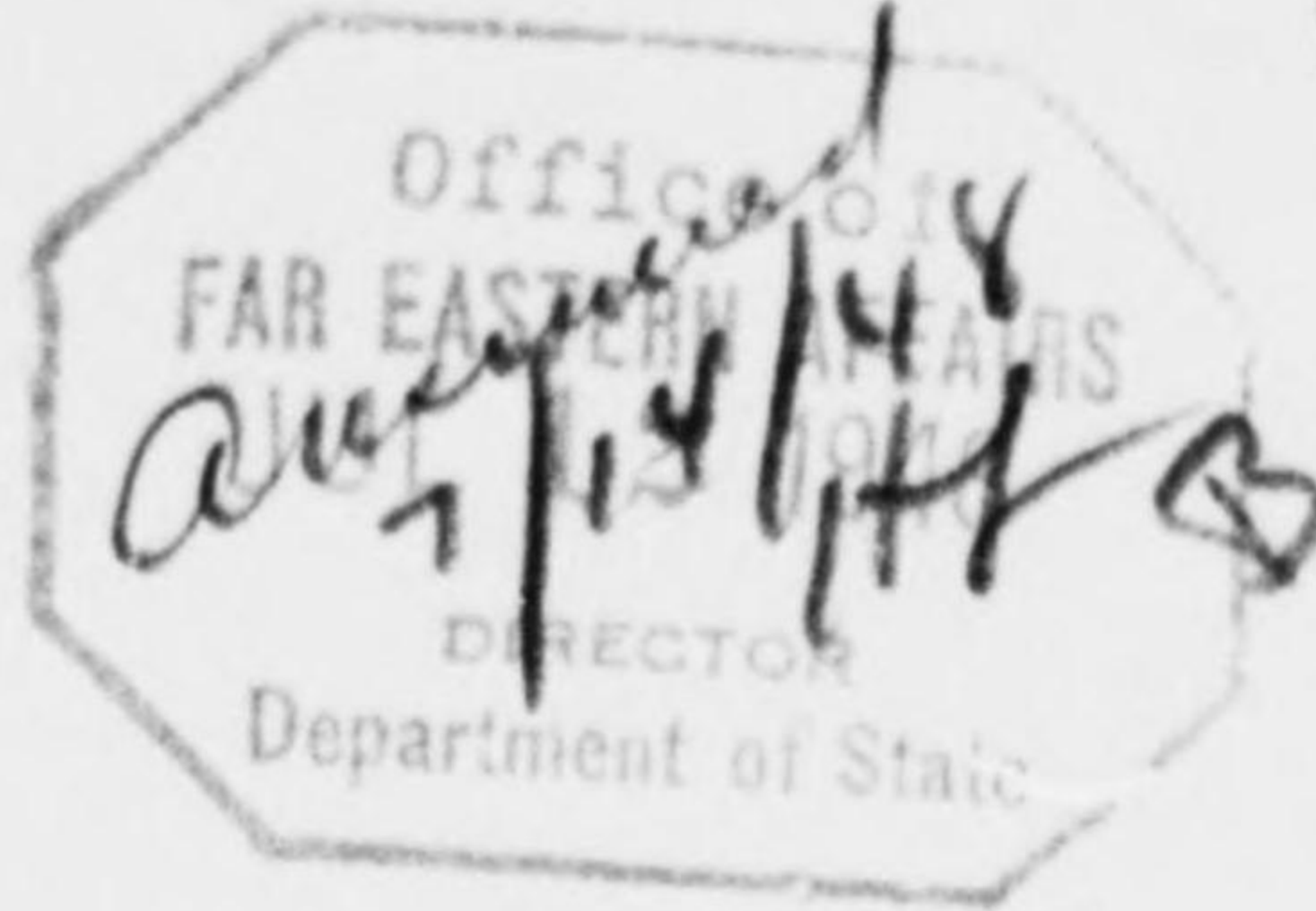
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DEPARTMENT OF STATE

9 July 1948



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Dear Mr. Benninghoff,

In the absence of Mr. W. L. Holland, Secretary-General of the Institute of Pacific Relations, I am writing to request permission for the Executive Vice-Chairman of the American Institute, Mr. Edward C. Carter, to visit Japan for a period of about ten days.

Both the American Institute and the International Secretariat desire to re-establish their former contacts in Japan for the purpose of promoting sound scholarship and research in the economic, cultural and sociological fields. The Institute, as you may know, is a privately financed, non-official international agency, devoted to research and publication, and composed of active national groups in the United Kingdom, the Netherlands-Netherlands Indies, France, China, the Philippine Republic, Australia, New Zealand, Canada, Pakistan, India and the United States. Prior to the outbreak of the war, a Japanese group also participated in the Institute's work. It is because we are looking toward the possibility of the renewal of such participation that we wish to have Mr. Carter visit Japan before returning to the United States in August.

Should permission to visit Japan be granted him, it is the purpose of Mr. Carter's visit to confer with a group of leading Japanese scholars who are deeply interested in re-establishing their contacts with scholarship throughout the world, to work out plans for the exchange of cultural and research materials with the several national groups of the Institute of Pacific Relations, to consult and advise with these Japanese scholars on their present research and publications program (one particular emphasis of which is a serious study of the development of democratic institutions in Britain, Europe and the United States) and, upon his return to the States, to report to the Institute on how best it can aid in promoting in Japan the growth of sound and scholarly work in the field of international relations.

Mr. Carter, who holds a valid U.S. passport, is now in Rangoon, and is proceeding shortly to Manila and Shanghai. It is the Institute's hope that it may be possible for him to spend the period from about August 4 to about August 11 in Japan. Paralleling this letter to you, we are suggesting to Mr. Carter that he apply for permission to enter Japan through the nearest U. S. Consulate. If permission is granted by the Department, we hope that appropriate notification may be transmitted to the Consulate General in Shanghai during the period of Mr. Carter's stay there - July 20 to August 4.

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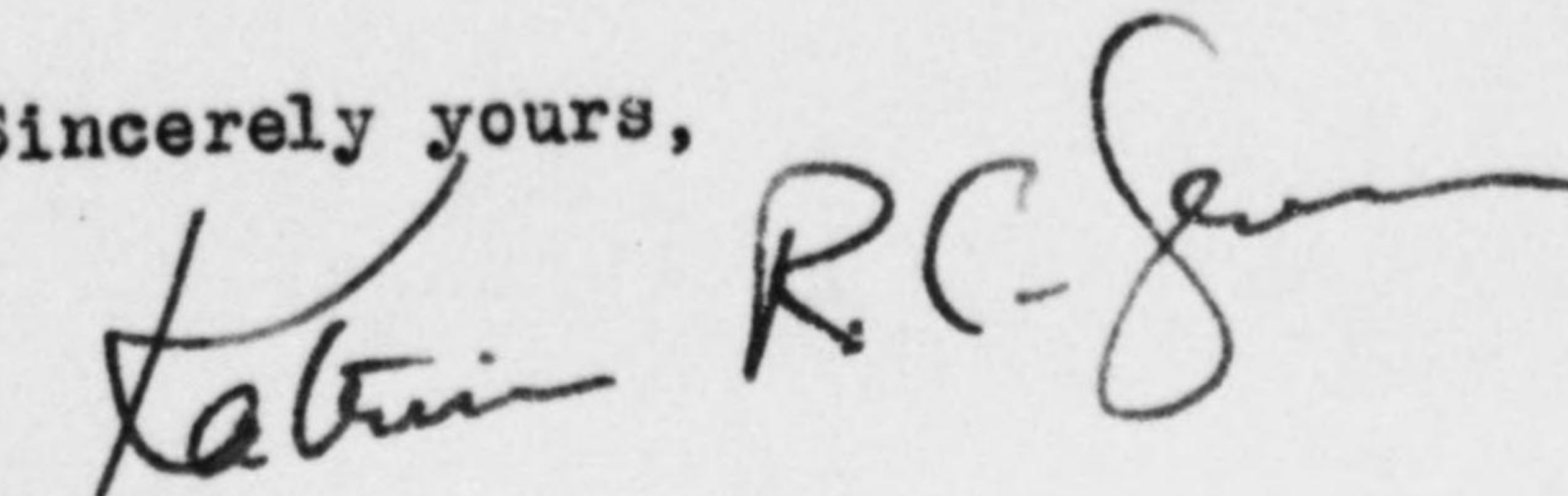
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Letter to H. M. Benninghoff, 9 July 1948, page 2

This office will be glad to give you any further details which may be required to complete this application, and we will appreciate word from you as to any further steps which we should take.

With the cordial thanks of the Institute for any assistance which you can give us, I am

Sincerely yours,

A handwritten signature in cursive script, appearing to read "Katrine R. C. Greene".

Katrine R. C. Greene
Acting Secretary

H. Merrell Benninghoff, Esq.
Deputy Director
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Department of State
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New York 22, New York.

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FROM : Tokyo

TO : Secretary of State

NO : Unnumbered, July 9. (Army Message)

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FROM SCAP TO DEPARTMENT OF ARMY (PASS TO DEPARTMENT OF STATE)

REURADS State serial 203, June 1948, State serial 170,
May 1948 and 151, 13th, April 1948.

One. Upon application by United Kingdom liaison mission
in Japan, clearance for entry Japan has been granted
Semir El Khadem as official trade representative of
Egyptian Government. United Kingdom liaison mission
notified of clearance of this date.

Two. Clearance granted on same basis as trade representatives
of other Allied powers which are not member nations of the
Far Eastern Commission, with logistic support to be provided
by Japanese Government operated commercial hotels. Clearance
granted with understanding that El Khadem:

A. Will have official status and will not represent
private interests.

B. Will maintain general liaison between SCAP and Egyptian
Government regarding trade matters.

Three. Subject to current regulations in force, no objection
to official trade representative being authorized to execute
purchase and sales contracts in government to government
trade.

Four. Processing of applications for entry into Japan is,
under current regulations, matter to be taken up by
diplomatic representative in Japan of country concerned,
which interpreted to include diplomatic representative acting
as protecting power for country concerned, where such re-
presentations exist, and not through government trade
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representative. Hence, as long as United Kingdom liaison mission in Japan acts as protecting power for Egyptian interests in Japan, felt that applications for entry of Egyptian traders should be made through that mission.

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INSTITUTE OF PACIFIC RELATIONS

OFFICE OF THE SECRETARY-GENERAL

27 Tamalpais Road
Berkeley, California

10th July, 1948

1 EAST 54th STREET
NEW YORK 22, N. Y.

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It is hoped still time SCAP clearance on Japanese repatriation ships for sisters Nagoa and Anisa Kurbangali and aunt Mhiseber Yangurazi. Their mother, Emma Kurbangali, and grandmother, Haniva Yangurazi, long resident Japan; also additional family there. 1945 address was 1098 Shiburaku-Yoyogid Shubhara Tokyo. If no time clearance, would appreciate at least news their family and verification address. Transliteration names approximate.

Sent Tokyo 6, Department pass Tokyo, July 10.

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Mil Japan grant permission Victor Kelly Bashi,
British, repr Occident Orient Products Inc NY enter
Japan during Sept stay 60 days after entry. Shd
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In lieu statement required para 9 SCAP Circ 8,
Aug 30, 1946 (see FSS 667, Jan 17, 1947) furnish
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DEPARTMENT OF STATE
Memorandum of Conversation

DATE: August 23, 1948

SUBJECT: Military Permit for Mr. Victor Kelly Bashi.

PARTICIPANTS: Mr. Shebairo, Vice President Occident and Orient Products, Inc., 3 Maiden Lane, New York 7, New York. (Telephone BE 6335).

Mrs. Mellor, DS

COPIES TO:

Mrs. Mellor called the Occident and Orient Products, Inc., and talked with Mr. Shebairo. She informed him that a military permit had been received from the Army Department for their representative, Mr. Victor Kelly Bashi to enter Japan between September 1 and September 30, 1948. Mr. Shebairo informed Mrs. Mellor that Mr. Bashi is at present in Bangkok and authorized her to send a cablegram to the Department's representative there instructing him to notify Mr. Bashi of Theater clearance.

Mr. Shebairo thanked Mrs. Mellor for calling.

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The Occident and Orient Products, Inc.
3 Maiden Lane, New York 7, New York,
Victor Kelly Bashi (British) representative.
(Telephone BE-6335-6-7)

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The Vice President of the firm, Mr. A. Shebairo requests that Mr. Bashi's entry permit No. 12449, which expired June 30 be extended to permit entry up to Sept. 30.

Previously approved.

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August 23, 1948

My dear Colonel Scott:

There is returned to you herewith military permit number 6171 to enter Japan issued by your office on August 16, 1948 in the name of Victor Kelly Bashi.

The American Embassy at Bangkok, Siam has been informed by cablegram of Mr. Bashi's Theater clearance.

Sincerely yours,

Walter F. Chappell
Assistant Chief
Division of Protective Services

Enclosure:

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Lieutenant Colonel J. D. Scott, G.S.C.,
Military Permit Section,
Civil Affairs Division,
Department of the Army,
Room 2B914, The Pentagon,
Washington, 25, D. C.

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In reply refer to
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My dear Mr. Sampson:

Reference is made to your call at the Department of State on July 7, 1948 at which time you informed Mr. Chappell of the Division of Protective Services that Mr. Victor Kelley Bashi, a representative of the Occident and Orient Products, Incorporated, had been unable to utilize the military permit issued in his name for permission to enter Japan within the time assigned for his entry. You requested that a new military permit be issued in Mr. Bashi's name valid at any time between the present and August 31, 1948. It is understood that Mr. Bashi is now at Bangkok.

In view of the fact that military permits are not issued by the Department of State, it is suggested that the Occident and Orient Products, Incorporated re-submit Mr. Bashi's application through the Regional Office of the Department of Commerce at New York. The Department of Commerce is the agency which transmits to the military authorities applications of private traders to enter Japan as representatives of American firms.

When and if a new military permit is issued to Mr. Bashi the Department's representative at Bangkok will be informed by cablegram so that he can notify Mr. Bashi of his Theater clearance for entry into Japan.

It is requested that the Occident and Orient Products, Incorporated arrange for the return to the Department of State of Mr. Bashi's unused military permit.

Sincerely yours,

For the Secretary of State: *W.F.C.*

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Walter F. Chappell
Assistant Chief
Division of Protective Services

Mr. Vincent F. Sampson,
Care of H.W. Schaefer Company,
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Department of State
 Division of Protective Services
 604, 17th Street N.W.
 Washington 25, D.C.

Re: Mr. JAKOB SZPIRO, Polish,
 of 320 Szechuen Road, Room 102
 Shanghai, China.

Attention: Miss Mellor.

Gentlemen:

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In case the final approval has not been received yet, please cable at our expense to the Military Authorities in Tokyo, Japan.

Trusting to hear from you at an early date,

Respectfully yours,

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Department of State
 Division of Protective Services
 604, 17th Street N.W.
 Washington 25, D.C.

Re: Mr. JAKOB SZPIRO, Polish,
 of 320 Szechuen Road, Room 102
 Shanghai, China.

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Charge to **Universal Peltry** ^{Washington}
Traders, Inc., **PLAIN**
151 West 26th Street,
New York, New York.

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APPLICATION FOR PERMISSION TO VISIT JAPAN OR KOREA
(Circle name of country to be visited)

(The information requested in this form is for the confidential and sole use of the Departments of Commerce and State, and SCAP.)

- 1. Firm **UNIVERSAL PELTRY TRADERS, INC.**
- 2. Address **151 West 26th Street**
- 3. Telephone **AL 5-2767**
- 4. Name of representative (and alternate, if any) **T.P. Berman**
 - (a) Address **75 Truman Road, Tientsin, CHINA.**
 - (b) Position in the firm **Purchasing agent & Manager**
 - (c) Nationality **Russian Emigre**
- 5. Purpose of proposed visit (Explain in detail, attaching separate sheet if needed)
To purchase furs and to make arrangements for future business with Japan

6. If the purpose of the proposed trip is property restitution

- (a) Type of property owned
- (b) Approximate pre-war value
- (c) Location
- (d) Sole owner or joint owner with Japanese or other aliens

7. Nature of business organization (Check)
(Corporation Partnership () Individual () Other ()

8. Incorporated or established under the laws of the State of **New York**

9. Date incorporated or established **1936**

10. Paid in capital \$ **\$55,000.00**

11. Type of business (Check)

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| (a) Manufacturer | () | (e) Importer | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> |
| (b) Wholesaler or Jobber | () | (f) Exporter | () |
| (c) Retailer | () | (g) Mfgr's Export Agent | () |
| (d) Broker | () | (h) Import Agent | () |
| | | (i) Other (Specify) | |

12. Goods bought or sold in Japan (or Korea) (pre-war)

- (a) Bought
- (b) Sold
- (c) Approximate annual volume of business with Japan (or Korea)

300,000.00

13. List names and location of pre-war subsidiaries, branches or resident agents in Japan (or Korea)

Resident Agent: Leo Katzman in Yokohama

14. Bank or banks in which accounts have been established and/or transactions effected and from whom references can be requested

Federation Bank & Trust Co. 8th Ave & 34th St. N.Y.C.

15. How will your representative travel? Plane () Ship ()

Plane or ship

16. Approximate date of proposed arrival in Japan (or Korea)

July or August

17. To what U. S. consular office should authorization for entry into Japan (or Korea) be cabled by the State Department (at firm's expense) if your representative is outside the United States?

American Consul in

18. What cities in Japan (or Korea) does he plan to visit?

Tientsin, China.

TOKYO & YOKOHAMA

19. Estimated length of visit

From one to two months.

I, Anatol Mureff, hereby make oath that the information given above is true to the best of my knowledge and belief, and for and in behalf of said T. D. Borzan.

Anatol Mureff

Anatol Mureff

Signature

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Subscribed to and sworn to before me

this 16th day of June, 1944

ROBERT R. BAYLES
 NOTARY PUBLIC, STATE OF NEW YORK
 Residing in Bronx County
 Bronx County Clerk's No. 199, Expires March 31, 1945
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Charge to Mr. Paul E. Sernau, Washington
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New York 10, New York.

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Military Japan grant permission Nefeh J. Sbath, Syrian national, representing Paul E. Sernau, NY, enter Japan bet July 15 and Aug 15 stay 60 days after entry. Should carry 2 std ppt photos.

At your discretion advise Sbath comply with para 9 SCAP Circ 8, Aug 30, 1946 (see FSS 667, Jan 17, 1947) or furnish him cert copy text this tel to serve in lieu statement required therein.

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American Pacific Enterprises, **PLAIN**,
350 Fifth Avenue, New York, New York.

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SHANGHAI, CHINA.

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Military Japan grant permission D. Koppius, Dutch national, 106/5 Tsongchow Road, Shanghai, representing American Pacific Enterprises, Inc., NY, enter Japan bet July 15 and Aug 15 stay 60 days after entry. Should carry 2 std ppt photos.

At your discretion advise Koppius comply with para 9 SCAP Circ 8, Aug 30, 1946 (see FSS 667, Jan 17, 1947) or furnish him cert copy text this tel to serve in lieu statement required therein.

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DEPARTMENT OF STATE
Memorandum of Conversation

DATE: August 24, 1948

SUBJECT: Military Permit for Mr. D. Koppius, representative
of American Pacific Enterprises, Inc., to enter Japan.

PARTICIPANTS: Mr. Lasley, an officer of American Pacific Enterprises, Inc.
Mrs. Mellor, DS

COPIES TO:

Mrs. Mellor called American Pacific Enterprises, Inc.,
350 Fifth Avenue, New York City (Tel. Longacre 4-3215) and
spoke with Mr. Lasley, an officer of the company. She
informed him that Mr. Koppius, their representative, had been
given Theater clearance to enter Japan between September 1 and
September 30, 1948. When Mrs. Mellor inquired if Mr. Koppius
was still in Shanghai Mr. Lasley stated that he was and
authorized the Department to send a cablegram to the American
Consul there instructing him to notify Mr. Koppius of his
Theater clearance to enter Japan.

Mr. Lasley thanked the Department for calling.

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MEMORANDUM TO Mr. Chappell

Reference is made to Commerce list of 3rd week

Paragraph checked (x) indicates action on subject.

(x) The individuals listed below have been cleared by the military authorities to enter Japan for 60 days after date of entry. Two standard sized passport photographs will be carried by individuals for identification purposes in order to enter. Individual's name; firm, when applicable; location, when applicable; and entry periods may be found below.

() If entering Korea transportation will be at no cost to the United States Government. Applicant is authorized to ship personal baggage and commercial samples only, subject to United States Department of Commerce Regulations and Korean Customs Inspection. Upon arrival in Korea individual should report to Visitors Information Center, Banto Hotel, in Seoul.

(x) Extension is granted individuals listed below with same provisions as granted in original clearance. New entry period is given below.

(x) Request you notify the appropriate agency of this clearance.

<u>Representative</u>	<u>Location</u>	<u>Entry Period</u>	<u>Firm Represented</u>
KOPPIUS, D.	Shanghai, China	1 Sept.-30 Sept. 48	Am. Pacific Enterprises, Inc.
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Note: This is an extension of permit issued 8 July 48

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MEMORANDUM TO Mr. Campbell

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<u>Representative</u>	<u>Location</u>	<u>Entry Period</u>	<u>Firm Represented</u>
<u>KOBIUS, D.</u>	<u>Shanghai, China</u>	<u>1 Sept. 30 Sept. 48</u>	<u>Am. Pacific Enterprises, Inc.</u>
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Major E. Larson, Military Permit Section
CAD, Department of the Army
Michael Lee, Chief
Far Eastern Branch
Japan Travel - Permit Extensions and Cancellations

August 19, 1948

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The following applicants for travel to Japan have requested extensions of their entry permits:

✓ D. Koppius (Dutch citizen in Shanghai on June 24 list),
American Pacific Enterprises, Inc., New York
Pressure of pending business in Shanghai makes it
impossible for him to leave as anticipated. Requests
entry September 1 - September 30.

Joseph Liberman (U.S. citizen on July 30 list), Mark Ross
Company, San Francisco
Requested entry August. Wishes entry August 15-Sept. 15.

Francis Ogawa (U. S. citizen on June 14 list), Sorrell and
Son, Honolulu
Heart attack prevented his leaving as scheduled.
Requests entry September 15 - October 15.

Masao Shinkai (Japanese in San Francisco on June 14 list),
individual applicant.
On August 19 Visa Division had not mailed Military
Permit No. 5366, valid August 1 - 30. In view of delay in
receiving his permit, Mr. Shinkai requests permit valid
September 15 - October 15.

Adolph Shefts (U. S. citizen on June 24 list), Countrywide
Fur Corporation, New York. Requests entry September 1 -
September 30. (Military Permit enclosed in MPS memorandum.)

Dan Brechner (U. S. citizen on July 22 list), Dan Brechner &
Company, New York. Requests Military Permit valid for
September 1 - 30.

Attachment

cc: Passport Division, Department of State
Protective Services, Department of State ✓

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Office of International Trade
Washington, D. C.

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APPLICATION FOR PERMISSION TO VISIT JAPAN
(Circle name of country to be visited)

(The information requested in this form is for the confidential and sole use of the Departments of Commerce and State, and SCAP.)

1. Firm **AMERICAN PACIFIC ENTERPRISES, Incorporated.**
2. Address **350 Fifth Avenue**
3. Telephone **Longacre 4-3215**
4. Name of representative (and alternate, if any) **Mr. D. Koppius**
 - (a) Address **106/5 Tsongchow Road, Shanghai, China**
 - (b) Position in the firm **Employee**
 - (c) Nationality **Dutch**
5. Purpose of proposed visit (Explain in detail, attaching separate sheet if needed) **To promote a flow of trade between Japan and the United States; to set up an office for our Company; to deal principally in manufactured goods from Japan and of industrial materials from the United States. We are primarily interested in engineering services and the supply of industrial equipment used in light manufacturing and power equipment. Mr. Koppius has lived nearly his entire life in the Far East and is an extremely capable employee in the international trade field.**
6. If the purpose of the proposed trip is property restitution **no.**
 - (a) Type of property owned
 - (b) Approximate pre-war value
 - (c) Location
 - (d) Sole owner or joint owner with Japanese or other aliens
7. Nature of business organization (Check)

(Corporation Partnership () Individual () Other ()

New York
8. Incorporated or established under the laws of the State of **New York**
9. Date incorporated or established **14 July 1945**
10. Paid in capital \$ **72,000.00**
11. Type of business (Check)

(a) Manufacturer	()	(e) Importer	(<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>)
(b) Wholesaler or Jobber	()	(f) Exporter	()
(c) Retailer	()	(g) Mfgr's Export Agent	(<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>)
(d) Broker	()	(h) Import Agent	()
		(i) Other (Specify)	-

12. Goods bought or sold in Japan (or Korea) (pre-war) **none**

- (a) Bought
- (b) Sold
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13. List names and location of pre-war subsidiaries, branches or resident agents in Japan (or Korea) **none**

14. Bank or banks in which accounts have been established and/or transactions effected and from whom references can be requested
Chemical Bank & Trust Company, 165 Broadway, New York, N.Y.

15. How will your representative travel? Plane () Ship ()

16. Approximate date of proposed arrival in Japan (or Korea) ~~XXXXXX~~ **We hope to have him there by 1 August 1948.**

17. To what U. S. consular office should authorization for entry into Japan (or ~~Korea~~) be cabled by the State Department (at firm's expense) if your representative is outside the United States?
Shanghai, China

18. What cities in Japan (or Korea) ~~XXXXXX~~ does he plan to visit?
Osaka, Tokyo, Yokohama.

19. Estimated length of visit **60 days**

I, ~~XXXXXXXXXX~~ **J.H. Lash** hereby make oath that the information given above is true to the best of my knowledge and belief, and for and in behalf of said ~~D. Koppius and American Pacific Enterprises, Inc.~~

J. H. Lash
Signature
Vice President, XXXXXX
Title

Subscribed to and sworn to before me

this 14th day of June, 1948

Paul S. Brinsmade
Notary Public

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PAUL S. BRINSMADE
Notary Public in the State of New York
Residing in New York County
New York County Clerk's No. 331
Commission Expires March 30, 1949

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MEMORANDUM TO Mr. Chappell

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(x) Request you notify the appropriate agency of this clearance.

<u>Representative</u>	<u>Location</u>	<u>Entry Period</u>	<u>Firm Represented</u>
John M. Bowes	Manila	✓ 1-31 Aug 48	Green & Loveless
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<u>John M. Bowes</u>	<u>Manila</u>	<u>1-31 Aug 48</u>	<u>Green & Loveless Co.</u>
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Yokohama Branch,
Office of the U. S. Political Adviser,
Yokohama, Japan, July 14, 1948.

Subject: Transit visas issued to Mr. Naji TACLA and Family.

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The Consul General has the honor to refer to the Department's unclassified instruction of June 29, 1948, in which certain information pertinent to the documentation of Mr. Naji Tacla and family by the Brazilian Consul General in San Francisco is forwarded, and the request is made that the Department be furnished a report in this matter.

An investigation of local sources reveals that subsequent to the issuance of transit visas to Mr. Tacla and family by this office on March 1, 1948, as related in despatch no. 42 dated March 15, 1948 from US POLAD, Yokohama, the Tacla family departed from Haneda Airport, Tokyo, for the United States via Pan American Airways. It is assumed that they have subsequently been documented by the Consul General of Brazil at San Francisco.

Note has been taken of the provisions of the Department's instruction under reference, and future applicants will be advised accordingly.

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MEMORANDUM

The Department of State refers to its memorandum dated June 29, 1948 to the Embassy of Brazil in acknowledgment of the Embassy's memorandum of June 11, 1948 in connection with the travel of Mr. Naji Tacla and his family from Japan to Brazil. The Department stated that a copy in translation of the Embassy's memorandum was being sent to the Yokohama Branch, Office of the United States Political Adviser, with a request for a report concerning any further action that might be taken regarding the proposed journey of the Tacla family.

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A communication has now been received from the Yokohama Branch in which it is stated that investigation reveals that, subsequent to the issuance of transit visas to Mr. Tacla and his family by that office on March 1, 1948, the Tacla family departed from Haneda Airport, Tokyo, for the United States via Pan American Airways. It was assumed that they had been documented by the Consul General of Brazil at San Francisco upon their arrival.

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The Secretary of State presents his compliments to the Honorable the Minister of the Union of South Africa and has the honor to refer to the Legation's note dated June 29, 1948 under cover of which there was transmitted to the Department the application of Mr. Harry Julius Hurwitz, a national of the Union of South Africa, for permission to travel to Japan. Upon receipt of the Legation's note the Department addressed a letter to the Military Permit Section, Civil Affairs Division, Department of the Army, transmitting Mr. Hurwitz's application and requesting that it be communicated to the Supreme Commander for the Allied Powers at Tokyo.

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In this connection the Department has received a communication dated July 14, 1948 from the Military Permit Section in which additional information is requested regarding the type of goods Mr. Hurwitz wishes to purchase or sell, or that he may be interested in.

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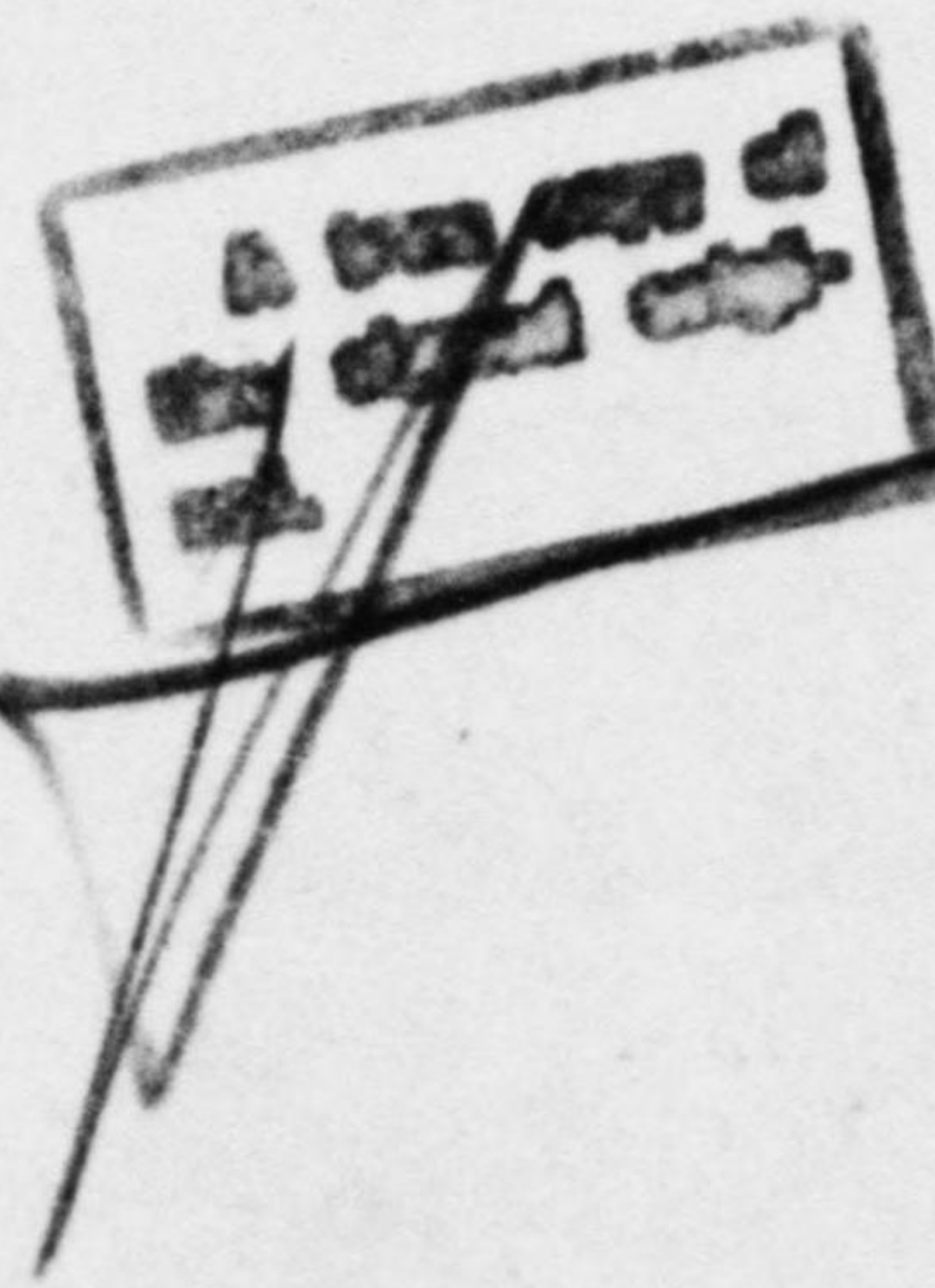
Upon receipt of the requested information the Department will again communicate with the Military Permit Section so that the additional information may be transmitted to the Supreme Commander for his consideration.

Department of State,

Washington, D.C. July 19, 1948

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MEMORANDUM FOR MR. CHAPPELL:

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George Victor de Villiers, national, Union of South Africa, cleared Supreme Commander enter Japan bet Aug 1 and Aug 31 stay 60 days after entry. Shd carry 2 std ppt photos. de Villiers left So Africa before notification clearance. Leg Union of So Africa Wash informed he will be Singapore July 19. Leg assumes he will have instructions call at AmCon. In lieu statement required para 9 SCAP Circ 8, Aug 30, 1946 (see FSS 667, Jan 17, 1947) furnish de Villiers cert copy text this tel.

Mrs. de Villiers not cleared.

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THE HONORABLE
THE SECRETARY OF STATE,
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I have the honor to refer to this Mission's despatch No. 376 of June 22, 1948, on the subject, "Proposed Seven-Day 'Package Tours' of Japan", and to report the plan as outlined therein has been approved by this Headquarters. In this relation there are enclosed copies of a guide entitled "Information for Tourists Coming to Japan" prepared by the Economic and Scientific Section of this Headquarters with a view to assisting tourists in making preparations for travel to Japan and familiarizing them with the regulations and procedures to be followed in Japan. It is of interest to note that the first tourist to come to Japan under this program arrived on July 15, 1948.

Respectfully yours,

OFFICE OF INTERNATIONAL TRADE PROGRAM
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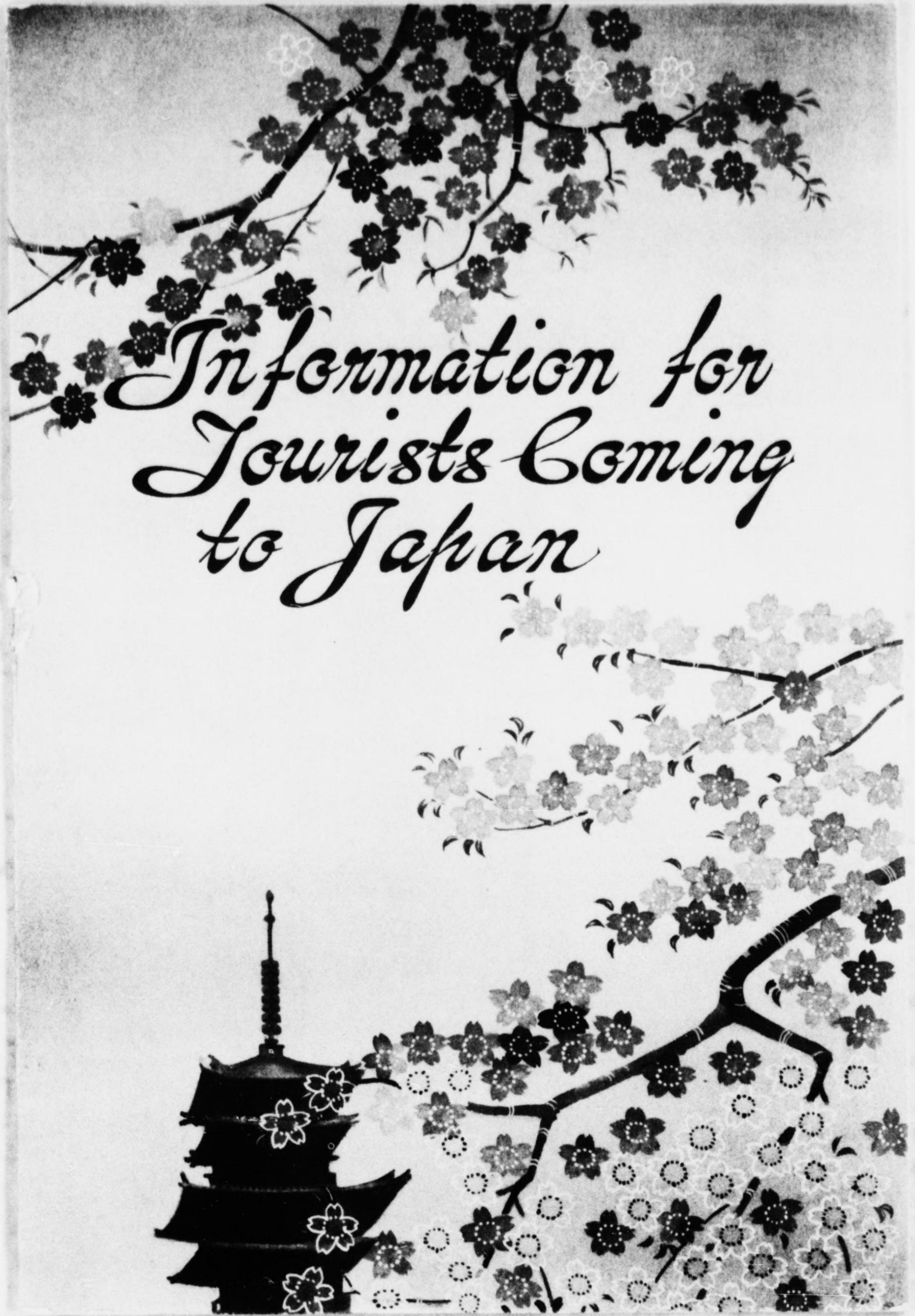
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INFORMATION FOR TOURISTS
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FOREWORD

Welcome to Japan, or "Nippon wa kangeishimasu!" as the Japanese say.

Scenic Japan, the land of the cherry blossoms, Mt. Fuji and colorful kimonos once again is playing host to tourists from overseas with approval by the Supreme Commander for the Allied Powers of the Japan Travel Bureau's program for conducted tours beginning July 1, 1948.

Although Japan is still an occupied country with serious shortages of materials and facilities, her tourist experts are making every effort to enable you to see the famous tourists' meccas with comfort and convenience.

We expect you'll enjoy your visit to Japan; but for maximum pleasure you should keep in mind the restrictions imposed by a war-ravaged economy. If you can accept in a spirit of adventure the minor inconveniences which may arise as a result of these postwar conditions, Japan will be well worth your time.

Entry will be permitted after you have obtained a reservation for a scheduled tour from the Japan Travel Bureau direct or from a local travel agency or carrier. It is not yet feasible to allow you to travel throughout Japan at will. With the limited accommodations available at the present time, it will be necessary for you to follow the tour itinerary without deviation, except in emergencies such as illness or accident, but every effort will be made to afford you greater freedom of movement as soon as conditions permit.

The following information is designed to facilitate preparations for your trip and to familiarize you with the regulations and procedures which you will follow in Japan.

TRAVEL

Prior to your departure arrangements should be made for return bookings.

It is essential that you bring with you a passport photograph to be used on a personal information card which you must fill out on arrival.

ENTRY

You will be met at the port of entry by a representative of the Military Government forces of Eighth Army who will assist you in clearing customs, registering, and reporting to the starting point of the tour.

At all ports of entry you will be cleared through Japanese Customs in accordance with current directives of the Supreme Commander for the Allied Powers and will fill out a "Customs Declaration Form" covering your personal property.

You may bring into Japan only property intended for your personal use.

While you are being cleared for customs, necessary verification of your clearance and registration will be accomplished and your passport will be stamped "Tourist" which will serve as your identification during your stay in Japan.

EXIT

As in entering Japan, you will upon leaving, clear through Japanese Customs now operating under the supervision of the Supreme Commander for the Allied Powers.

Unless specifically authorized by the Supreme Commander for the Allied Powers, only property intended for the individual's personal or household use and items intended and reasonably fit for bona fide gifts whose total value does not exceed \$500.00 will be taken out of Japan.

FINANCES

All of the charges and fees for your personal accommodations in Japan will be levied on a dollar basis. In Japan you may use only two types of legal tender, a special type of payment certificate called "Foreign Trade Payment Certificates," and yen. You should turn over to the carrier who brought you to Japan such foreign currencies as you may have in your possession, which you do not intend to immediately convert to Foreign Trade Payment Certificates or yen.

You should keep dollars, dollar instruments, convertible sterling or convertible sterling instruments to purchase the necessary special type of payment certificates and such yen as you desire for personal outlays at designated exchange centers. Conversions at other than authorized rates at designated centers are not permitted.

Prior to your departure from Japan, the unused special payment certificates may be exchanged for United States dollar instruments in an amount not to exceed \$150 or its equivalent in foreign exchange. Amounts in excess of \$150 or its equivalent in a foreign currency will be exchanged in the form of instruments not negotiable in Japan. However, no reconversions of yen to special payment certificates, dollar instruments or foreign currency instruments will be allowed.

The occupation forces use a special military payment certificate which you are not authorized to possess or use.

MAIL

Use of Japanese domestic mail service is permitted. There are no post office stations in Japan. Each post office is a separate unit and there are approximately 75 such post offices in the city of Tokyo alone. To overcome individual difficulties, it is suggested that inquiries be made at one of the larger post offices where bilingual employees are stationed.

The Japanese international mail service may be used to any country in the world, but certain restrictions as to the contents of communications are enforced. All international mail is subject to censorship. The following international mail services are available:

LETTERS AND POSTAL CARDS. Personal messages, and business, financial, commercial, and transactional correspondence may be mailed. Such communications, however, must not contain "messages that transfer currency, checks, drafts, payment orders, or any other credit or financial instruments; messages which relate to the conversion, transfer, or disguising of any Japanese external assets by powers of attorney, proxies, instructions, or any other means intended to defeat regulations of the Supreme Commander for the Allied Powers regarding foreign exchange or the conversion of foreign assets; messages which grant or transfer translation, reproduction, performance or other rights concerning books, articles, plays, music, motion pictures, or other media of information and expression; nor messages relating in any way to patents or copyrights except for description and explanation of the authorized channels and procedures for handling such matters and except for acknowledgment of rights arranged through the authorized channels."

COMMERCIAL PAPERS. All commercial papers except the following may be mailed: scores or sheets of music in manuscript; manuscripts of works, or newspapers sent separately; all papers of legal procedure; and documents of all kinds drawn up by ministerial officers. The mailing of any of the four of these categories of commercial papers is a violation of regulations.

CATALOGS, PHOTOGRAPHS, DRAWINGS, PLANS, MAPS AND PATTERNS may be mailed.

PARCEL POST. Mailing from Japan only of books, newspapers and other periodical publications, under the classification of "Prints," is authorized subject to the provisions and limitations of the Universal Postal Union Convention.

a. Weight limit will be in accordance with limitations provided by Universal Postal Union Parcel Post Agreement and/or applicable bilateral agreements, but not exceeding 22 pounds a parcel.

b. Parcels containing ordinary items of merchandise in commercial quantities from Japan must be accompanied by a certificate or photostatic copy of a license validated by the Supreme Commander for the Allied Powers permitting such exportation. The words "Export License Inclosed," must be indorsed on the wrapper as well as the words, "This Package May be Opened for Customs Inspection."

AIR MAIL SERVICE. International air mail service for letters is authorized. The rates are 25 yen per 20 grams or fraction thereof to points within 5,000 kilometers; 45 yen per 20 grams or fraction thereof up to 10,000 kilometers distant; and 64 yen per 20 grams or fraction thereof to all points over 10,000 kilometers. The restrictions covering correspondence in the ordinary international mail also apply to international air mail.

COMMUNICATIONS

Local Telephone Service

Telephone communications are available and service will be maintained at the hotels operated by Boeki Cho where switchboards with bilingual operators are available.

Domestic Long Distance

Long distance calls may be accomplished in the same manner as local calls.

Telephone Service to Points outside Japan

Radio-telephone service from Japan to the United States is available from the central overseas telephone offices in Tokyo, Yokohama, Kyoto, Nagoya, Osaka, Sendai, Sapporo, Fukuoka and Kokura, or the Tokyo Hotel in Tokyo. Payment for such calls may be made in Foreign Trade Payment Certificates.

Domestic Telegraph Service

A Japanese telegraph office has been established at each of the hotels reserved for trade representatives. These offices will accept and deliver all types of telegraphic traffic which is now authorized for transmission between points within Japan. Payment for this service will be in yen.

Code addresses for each hotel have been established and may be obtained at the hotels.

International Telegraph Service

The telegraph offices located in official hotel-billets will receive and deliver all types of messages to and from points outside Japan. Telgrams may be sent to most countries of the world by means of radio circuits and lists of the countries which may be reached through these facilities is available at the hotel-billets. The use of code is authorized.

REGULATIONS

You will be accorded maximum freedom of action. Certain restrictions that apply to occupation force personnel will not be applied to you. It is therefore earnestly requested that you render full cooperation in your personal observance of such regulations as are applicable to you.

The occupation has been noteworthy in the lack of un-toward incidents between Japanese and Allied personnel. Much effort has gone into the establishment and maintenance of good relations, and these relations must be preserved for the well-being of all. Experience has indicated that anyone conducting himself in a normal manner may travel with perfect safety anywhere in Japan. Should you need the services of Military Police you will find them cooperative and willing to assist you as required, and as agents of the Supreme Commander for the Allied Powers, the Military Police are empowered to act under the military laws applicable to an occupied area.

You are subject to all laws and regulations applicable in Japan to other nationals of your country who are not members of, attached to, or accompanying the occupation forces, whether such laws or regulations are promulgated by the Supreme Commander for the Allied Powers or pursuant to authority delegated by him, or by the Japanese Government.

You are prohibited from committing any act prejudicial to the security of the occupation forces or any member thereof, or any persons attached to or accompanying the occupation forces. You are subject to arrest by military authorities for the violation of applicable regulations of the Supreme Commander for the Allied Powers.

All persons or organizations in Japan not attached to or accompanying the occupation forces are subject to Japanese civil law and are subject to the jurisdiction of Japanese courts in civil matters, except as modified by applicable directives of the Supreme Commander for the Allied Powers.

MEDICAL CARE

All persons entering Japan are required to be immunized against typhoid fever, smallpox, ~~cholera, tetanus and typhus~~. These immunizations should be accomplished prior to entry. Immunizations against other diseases may be added to this list from time to time. Should any of these be required during your stay in Japan they will be administered at military dispensaries.

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We hope you do not get sick; however, if you do, medical care and hospital facilities will be furnished you on the same basis as to all individuals who are not authorized treatment at United States Government expense. Hospitalization charges are \$9.75 per day; out-patient treatment, \$1.75.

Hospitals and dispensaries are located in Tokyo, Yokohama, Nagoya, Kyoto and Osaka as follows:

49th General Hospital.....Tokyo
 361st Station Hospital.....Tokyo
 385th Medical General Dispensary.....Tokyo
 155th Station Hospital.....Yokohama
 332nd Medical General Dispensary.....Yokohama
 407th Medical Dispensary.....Kobe
 28th Station Hospital.....Osaka
 35th Station Hospital.....Kyoto
 395th Station Hospital.....Nagoya

In addition to those listed, hospitals maintained by the Roman Catholic faith are open to all and are located in Tokyo, Yokohama, Kobe and Osaka. Catholic hospitals are privately operated and payment for accommodations must be made in yen. Their locations are as follows:

International Hospital (Seibobyoin)
 Tokyo, Yodobashiku, Shimo-ochiai 2 chome
 Telephone 95-4163.....Tokyo

International Hospital (Ippan byoin)
 Yokohama, Nakaku, Mametecho (Bluff).....Yokohama

International Hospital
Rokko, in the former Rokko House.....Kobe

International Hospital (Seibobyoin)
 Osaka, Higashi Sumiyoshiku,
 Yamazakacho 5 chome No. 26.....Osaka

NEEDS

The climate of Tokyo is similar to that of Washington, D. C. and seasonal changes of that city may be used as a guide for the type of clothing you will require during your stay here.

Towels, soap, toilet articles, tobacco, etc., for personal needs are not readily available and you should bring with you a week's supply.

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(Code Room: Here please insert text of Tokyo's unnumbered telegram of July 16, Dept. Control No. 5565.)

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FROM: Tokyo

TO : Secretary of State

NO : ZX 16132, July 16 (Army Message)

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DEPT OF ARMY FOR CSUSA.

Subject is repatriation of refugees from Dairen. This
RAD in six parts.

Part One. Clearance for entry Japan aboard a Japanese
repatriation vessel granted Alexandra Simon, Irene
Sioon, Father Leone Liviabella, Bruno Schrenzel, Fritz
Abeles, Ilse Abeles, Gideon Abeles, Helen Simon and
Martin Roth.

Part Two. Clearance for entry Japan granted Andrew
Fioratos, George Stavrinaky and Maria Theodoridi pro-
vided they have documentary evidence showing Greek
citizenship and that prior to their departure from
Dairen they give written statements to the American
Consul Dairen that they have sufficient funds to support
themselves in Japan and to pay for onward transportation.
They should be informed that no assurance can be given
that they are permitted to remain in Japan and they
should be prepared for travel to a third country if they
cannot qualify for residence in Japan.

Part Three. Clearance for entry Japan granted Olga
Kachina Hylhen Stavrinaki and Vladimir Kachina-Stavrinaki
provided they have sufficient documentation to prove

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Chinese nationality. Request they be given same information concerning residence in Japan as in Part Two above.

Part Four. Clearance for entry Japan granted Katherine Drennan, Takahashi Shimemiro, Thomas, May (Yaeko), Henry, Grace, Maurice, Mary (Kiyoko), Irene, Marena, Joseph, Doris (Aiko), George and David Drennan, provided they state that they possess Japanese nationality.

Part Five. Clearance for following personnel under consideration. Will inform soonest. Carlo and Linda Polesello and Laura Scarsini, Bansiram-Jwiatram Oanglani, Kasia Isaac and Frank Morigin.

Part Six. Above clearances granted on basis of assurances of support from local missions, IRO Shanghai, and other sources. Assurances pending for personnel listed Part Five.

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MEMORANDUM FOR MR. CHAPPELL:

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July 20, 1948.

MEMORANDUM FOR THE FILES

Neither DS nor Department of Commerce has any record of an application having been filed by or for this individual. DS called Mrs. Des Rouffet, Military Permit Section, Civil Affairs Division, Army who stated the application was made through the Theater. When asked if it was specified in the Theater clearance between what dates Rogard or Ahtem could enter Japan she said no; that instructions from Tokyo were exactly as given in the memorandum from Military Permit Section.

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In lieu statement required para 9 SCAP Circ 8,
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